IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

William J. Schumacher, on Behalf of himself and All Persons Similarly Situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

AK Steel Corporation (Formerly Armco Inc.)
Retirement Accumulation Pension Plan, a Part
of the AK Steel Corporation (Formerly Armco
Inc.) Noncontributory Pension Plan, and AK
Steel Corporation Benefit Plans
Administrative Committee,

Defendants

Case No.: 1:09-CV-794

District Judge: Hon. Sandra S. Beckwith

NOTICE OF FILING OF SUPERSEDEAS BOND AND MOTION TO STAY

Pursuant to the Court's Order of February 16, 2012 and Fed. R. Civ. P. 62, Defendants AK Steel Corporation Retirement Accumulation Pension Plan and Benefit Plans Administrative Committee have secured the bond attached hereto as Exhibit A and are hereby filing the bond with the Court.

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 62(d), Defendants are entitled to a stay of enforcement of the Court's Final Judgment "as a matter of right" by posting a supersedeas bond or other adequate security for the portion of the judgment that would be due and payable during the pendency of the appellate process. *See Arban v. West Publishing Corp.* 345 F.3d 390, 409 (6th Cir. 2003). Accordingly, Defendants hereby request that the Court stay the execution of the judgment in this case pending the conclusion of the appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 27, 2012, a copy of the foregoing Defendants' Notice of Filing of Supersedeas Bond and Motion to Stay has been served electronically via the Court's CM/ECF electronic filing system, upon counsel for all parties.

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